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## ATTEMPT TO LYNCH RESULTS FATALLY

### AT CAIRO, ILL., ATTACKS VAIL AND ARE FIRED ON BY NEGRO DEPUTIES.

## ONE YOUNG MAN KILLED

### Several Were Wounded—Mob Wanted Two Negroes Arrested For Snatching Purse.

By Associated Press. Cairo, Ill., Feb. 18.—One man was killed and three others wounded as a result of an attack on the jail here last night by a mob which was endeavoring to secure and lynch two negroes confined in the jail. The negroes had been arrested for snatching purses from white women and the racial feeling which has been smoldering here since the lynching last November burst into flame.

A mob numbering about two hundred gathered and marched to the jail and as they neared the doors of the structure, Sheriff Nellis threw open the doors of the court house above the jail and said he was there to protect the prisoner.

At the same time his eight deputies, negroes, began firing into the mob from their stations in the court house and Thomas Holliday, son of former Mayor Holliday, was killed. The Associated Press correspondent, George Walker, was wounded, as were John Freeband and John Maloney.

The mob fell back and the Sheriff refused to allow any of the members to remove Holliday's body from where it had fallen. It remained on the court house steps all night, being removed early this morning by the militia. They say that it was still warm when picked up by them indicating that life had been extinct only a short time. Company K on the militia is on the ground and the Effingham company is expected to arrive at 11 o'clock.

The situation is critical today, as the people are worked up to fever heat over the night's occurrence. The racial feeling has been intensified by the fact that eight deputies whose shots killed Holliday were negroes. It is learned that Samuel Weisinger and Horton Crehan were also slightly wounded when the deputies fired.

Only last November a negro was lynched here for an assault upon a white girl and race feeling has been high here since that time needing only such provocation as that of yesterday to arouse it to action.

## NATURAL GAS HAS BEEN TURNED TO BOWIE MAIN

Bowie is now getting the benefit of the natural gas field at Petrolia, the service having been started on the Petrolia-Fort Worth line. It will be some little time yet before the gas is turned into Fort Worth, as the work of testing the line, by sections, has not yet been finished.

### GLAVIS STILL ON STAND.

Cross Examination of Chief Witness Resumed This Afternoon. By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 18.—The Ballinger-Pinchot Congressional Investigating Committee resumed its hearing today. After a short executive session the cross examination of Louis Glavis was continued.

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 18.—Counsel for Ballinger drew from the witness the fact that up to the time Ballinger went out of office as land commissioner there had been no evidence of fraud in the Alaska coal cases presented to the Department. He also admitted that he had no first hand knowledge of Ballinger's participation in the Wilson Coal Co. case but testified from hearsay.

### CHEAP BASEBALL RATES.

Players May Travel for a Cent and a Half.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Feb. 18.—The Railroad Commission is likely to grant a reduction to baseball players as the result of a conference between President Allen of the Texas League and President Dickerson of the Southwestern League. They asked for a cent and a half a mile for parties of fourteen. This rate was allowed last season.

## POWDER EXPLOSION IS FATAL AT HILLSBORO

Texas News Service Special. Hillsboro, Tex., Feb. 18.—The young son of Geo. L. Hite, a farmer living six miles south of here, died late yesterday from burns received from a powder explosion. Hite and his wife and two other children were seriously burned. Hite had placed the blasting powder before a fire in the house to dry it, when a spark from the fire struck the powder, exploding it.

### CARDEN ACQUITTED.

Was Accused of Advising Brother to Murder Man. Texas News Service Special. Austin, Tex., Feb. 18.—Tim Carden, charged with complicity in the murder of former Ranger Geo. Stanford, was acquitted by a jury in the Fifty-Third District Court here today. Carden was accused of advising his brother to kill Stanford, who was shot in a saloon here on October 16th last. W. P. Carden will be tried on March 23rd.

### TWO ARE SHOT.

Altercation at Shamrock Is Followed By Tragedy. Texas News Service Special. Shamrock, Texas, Feb. 18.—J. C. Caldwell was shot and fatally wounded, and J. W. Bradley was shot and seriously wounded by J. W. Jennings, here late yesterday during an altercation. Jennings was pursued and captured following the shooting and was hurried to the county jail at Wheeler for safe keeping.

### SUICIDES IN HOTEL.

Prominent Louisianan Shoots Self in Vicksburg Hotel. By Associated Press. Vicksburg, Miss., Feb. 18.—The body of L. A. Shaffenberg, a capitalist, planter and well known club man of Henderson, La., for many years associated in business with the late J. Stein, was found early today in a room at a local hotel. Held in his hand was a revolver, with which he had shot himself through the head.

### CASE STILL ON TRIAL.

No Decision Yet in Local Option Case at Amarillo.

Special to The Times. Amarillo, Tex., Feb. 18.—The case of Z. Z. Savage et al. vs. Hugh L. Humphrey, et al, involving the validity of the local option election held in Amarillo on December 3rd, 1907, continues to hold attention in the district court room before Judge D. B. Hill.

It is now definitely understood that the case will continue throughout the week and perhaps even longer. So far the witnesses have all been called by the contestants, and after their line of evidence shall have been concluded it is understood that the contestants will follow with a number of witnesses, and these, in turn, may make way for still others to be used in rebuttal.

Despite the fact that much of the evidence may seem dry to the laity, there is keen interest in the case as a whole, and the attendance has been liberal throughout today, and during each day of the hearing. The parts of the ground, and the outcome of the litigation seems rather in doubt.

It is reasonably safe to infer that regardless of the termination of the present litigation so far as the district court is concerned, there will be an appeal. The case has already been once through the court of civil appeals and there is a strong probability that it will have another turn through the same channel.

### WILL RE-APPOINT GORDON.

Governor of Mississippi Thinks Deadlock Will Be Broken, However. By Associated Press. Jackson, Miss., Feb. 18.—Governor Noel expressed the opinion today that the legislature will break the deadlock and elect a United States Senator before final adjournment is taken. Should they fail to do so, he will re-appoint Senator Gordon and put the matter up to the senate for decision.

### TICKET AGENT ABANDONS.

Special to The Times. Electra, Tex., Feb. 18.—John J. Stall, night ticket agent at this place for the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway, absconded on the night of the 15th, and several tickets from the ticket case and an express package valued at \$1800 are missing. Stall had been working in the capacity of night ticket agent for the past few months. He is about 21 years of age and of German descent.

### KEY SUCCEEDS FISHER.

Jenkins of Brownwood Appointed to Succeed Key. Texas News Service Special. Austin, Feb. 18.—Governor Campbell today appointed W. H. Key, of the court of civil appeals to succeed the late chief justice H. C. Fisher of the court of civil appeals. C. H. Jenkins of Brownwood, a former state legislator was appointed to take Key's place on the bench.

### CASE GOES TO JURY.

Jim Lamb Charged With Murder of Father at Mansfield. Texas News Service Special. Fort Worth, Feb. 18.—The case of Jim Lamb charged with the murder of his father Bud Lamb at Mansfield last July was given to the jury in Judge Buck's district court this morning. Lamb's plea is that he stabbed his father when defending his mother.

### NEAR TEN DOLLAR MARK.

Hogs Sell for \$9.47 1/2 in Chicago Yards Today. By Associated Press. Chicago, Ill., Feb. 18.—Hogs at the stock yards advanced today to nine dollars and forty-seven and a half cents per hundred pounds.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 18.—The white slave bill was passed by the house of representatives yesterday, with hardly a dissenting vote.

Watch for the opening of the big bankrupt hardware store. 240-310

## OIL AND GAS MAGNATES FROM PITTSBURG VISIT THIS CITY

### Stockholders of Lone Star Gas Company Inspect the Petrolia Field—Much Room for Development.

"This country has only been scratched by developments so far; there is a great deal of room for future development and the possibilities seem to be unlimited. The Petrolia gas field gives promise of becoming one of the largest in the country."

So spoke, George Crawford of the Lone Star Gas Company, who is in Wichita Falls today with a number of others from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, who are here to inspect the Petrolia oil and gas fields. The party arrived over the Denver at 5 o'clock this morning and were taken in their special car to Petrolia over the Valley. They spent the morning inspecting the various points of interest in the field there and left at 11 o'clock for Wichita Falls where they are guests of the local citizens this afternoon. It had been intended to go by auto from Petrolia to Henrietta, thence to Fort Worth, but at the urgent invitation of local gentlemen, the party decided to come here instead.

The party includes the following, all from Pittsburg and points near that city:

George Crawford, C. E. Crawford, L. E. Mallory, Harry Heasley, H. J. Crawford, Theodore Wilson, Newton Graham, Bert Crawford, Harry Mitchell, Dr. Crittenden and F. B. Sankey.

The party is traveling in a private car and has already inspected oil and gas properties in many parts of the country. They have visited the Illinois oil fields and have also been to Tulsa, Muskogee, Hampton Junction and Oklahoma City in Oklahoma. They will leave this afternoon for Fort Worth, going from there to Dallas, thence to the Caddo oil and gas fields near Shreveport.

The inspection made by these gentlemen at Petrolia this morning was very exhaustive, they being shown over the entire field by Petrolia parties and going into every phase of the situation very thoroughly. They were agreeably surprised at the extent of the field and at the success which has been attained there. Mr. George Crawford, who is at the head of the party said:

"Petrolia has a great gas field. I have visited the gas fields in Oklahoma on my present tour and the Petrolia field is larger, and its possibilities seem more extensive, than those of the fields at Tulsa and other points in Oklahoma. But it is subject to a great deal of development. So far as the present development goes, it hasn't hardly been scratched. There is a great deal of room for development there and there is no doubt in my mind that it will eventually prove to be one of the very largest fields in the country."

"How do I like Texas in general? Fine! This is the greatest country I ever saw, but this weather reminds me too much of home."

The party was taken in charge upon its arrival here by a committee of local business men, including Mayor T. B. Noble, R. E. Huff, J. C. Tandy, E. P. Walsh, O. T. Bacon, G. D. Anderson, J. A. Kemp and others. The visitors were taken to the Elks club rooms, took dinner at the St. James, and were later taken for a ride over the city. All seemed well pleased with Wichita Falls and did not hesitate to express their good opinion of the town.

## ACCIDENT AT LAKE MAY PROVE FATAL

### YOUNG MAN BADLY CRUSHED BY HEAVY IRRIGATION PIPE FALLING ON HIS BODY.

## RECOVERY IS DOUBTFUL

### Pipe Was Being Unloaded From Car When It Fell—Victim Arrived Recently From Austin.

Robert Boyd, aged 19, lies at the Miller Sanitarium in this city in a very critical condition as the result of his body being crushed by a heavy pipe falling on him near Lake Wichita this morning. He was one of a gang of workmen unloading pipe from a car and in some manner one of the heavy pipes fell from the car, striking the young man full force. His body was cruelly crushed and mangled by the blow and he sustained internal injuries that make his chance for recovery very slim.

After the accident Boyd was placed on a stretcher and hurried to this city, being placed in Dr. Miller's Sanitarium. Everything possible was done for him and there is some chance for him. Boyd is a bookkeeper by profession but was working at the irrigation ditch until he could get a position as bookkeeper in town. He came here recently from Austin and his father at that place has been notified of the accident. He will probably be here tomorrow to attend the bedside of his boy.

The pipe was being unloaded from the flat car for the new irrigation work which is under way between the city and Lake Wichita. The accident was caused by one of the heavy flume pipes becoming dislodged and rolling off on the boy, who was unable to get out of its way in time.

W. A. Barrikmann has wired the Chamber of Commerce that he will be here to assume his duties as secretary here on February 25th or March 1st.

## FIGHT IS TO BE MADE ON DEEP WATER BILL

Texas News Service Special. New Orleans, Feb. 18.—A dispatch was received here today from Senator Burton of Ohio, in Washington, saying he will start his fight on the Rivers and Harbors Bill before the Senate Committee next Monday. The message says: "I'll fight it to a finish, and the bill must be re-written."

## LIGHT VOTING IN PAVING ELECTION

### 100 VOTES HAD BEEN CAST AT CITY HALL AT 2 O'CLOCK THIS AFTERNOON.

## OPPOSITION NOT VISIBLE

### Believed That All Three Propositions Will be Carried With Practical Unanimity.

At 2:30 this afternoon, one hundred and four votes had been cast at the city hall in the paving bond election which is being held today and it is probable that something like two hundred votes or more will have been cast when the polls close this afternoon.

While there is no way of determining what per centage of the votes cast in the election have been in favor of the propositions submitted, no opposition has been manifested and there is every reason to believe that the majority for progress will be large enough to insure all three propositions by a safe majority.

A number of those eligible to vote do not understand the nature of the paving law which is up for adoption today and quite a few are content to cast their votes for the city hall and paving bonds and not voting on the other. Voting was very light during the morning hours, but at noon business began to pick up and throughout the noon hour, voters were numerous. It is probable that a great many more will be cast this afternoon. The usual lack of interest prevails and there are some whose only knowledge that it is an election day comes from the fact that a drouth exists so far as the purchase of intoxicants is concerned. No meetings were held to arouse interest and very little organized effort was made to secure a large vote. There are enough, however, who are interested in the matter, to see that the needed improvements are assured by the carrying of all three propositions.

## SENATOR TILLMAN IS NEAR END OF CAREER

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 18.—Grave anxiety is felt for the condition of Senator Tillman. He is growing steadily worse and the family is prepared for the worst. This afternoon the Senator continues to sink and he has not been able to speak since 9 o'clock last night.

### WILL VOTE ON BONDS.

Special Election Will be Held at Vernon for Waterworks. Special to The Times. Vernon, Tex., Feb. 18.—A special meeting of the city council was held last Thursday afternoon for the purpose of ordering an election on the proposed issue of additional bonds for waterworks extension, and to make a settlement with Contractor Campbell of Amarillo for the construction of the city water system. A lively session ensued and these two important matters were discussed at some length. The bond election was ordered for April 5th, to be held in connection with the regular city election. This was done in order to save the additional expense of two elections. The issue to be voted on will be \$14,000 in all, \$12,000 for sewer and water extensions, and improvements and \$2,000 to complete the payments on the West school building.

### STORE IS DESTROYED.

Robbery Preceded Fire at Tyler Last Night. Texas News Service Special. Tyler, Tex., Feb. 18.—Fire of incendiary origin destroyed the store of S. A. Brewster early this morning, preceding which the safe was broken open and several hundred dollars stolen. The authorities have no clue.

### BELIEVED TO BE DYING.

Miss Agnes Elkins' Suicidal Attempt May Succeed. By Associated Press. Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 18.—Miss Agnes Elkins, niece of Senator Elkins, who shot herself here last Wednesday, is believed to be dying.

### WILL INCREASE CAPITAL.

Quannah Road is Determined to Build to Roswell.

Special to The Times. Quannah, Tex., Feb. 18.—The Quannah, Acme & Pacific Railroad Company will take steps to increase its capital stock to \$500,000, and provide for immediate extension from Paducah to Roswell, New Mexico. Formal notice has been published calling a meeting of the stock holders for April 19th, to be held in Quannah for the purpose of amending the charter and naming the counties through which the extension will pass, Cottle, Motley, Dickens, Crosby, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Lubbock, Hockley, Cochran, Bailey, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum. Authority will be asked to issue bonds on the system not exceeding \$30,000 per mile of the constructed road, bearing six per cent.

This officially settles the matter of the Roswell extension and it is understood that immediately after the amending of the charter, and authority to issue bonds as asked, construction will be commenced. This is another sample of the Quannah way of doing things—getting ready and doing them.

### IMBODEN IS WILLING.

Ready to Organize Company to Take Over Iron Works.

Austin, Feb. 17.—W. M. Imboden, who is here on business with the court of criminal appeals, states that if the penitentiary board will sell the Rusk penitentiary iron plant and the ore rights it owns, he can organize a company to take over and operate the plant. The company will be absolutely independent of connection with any other iron manufacturing concern in the country, he says.

### THE FINISHING TOUCHES.

Pen Investigation Committee Contemplating Work at Austin.

Texas News Service Special. Austin, Feb. 18.—Chairman Gilmer, Senator Hudspeth, and Representative Stamps of the Penitentiary Investigating Committee are here today putting the finishing touches to their report on the fiscal affairs of the prisons which will be submitted to the Governor.

### FAIR WEATHER CONTINUES.

Air Decidedly Sharp, However—Cold at Outer Points.

The thermometer registered sixteen degrees above zero at 6 o'clock this morning and the mercury slowly climbed during the morning. The air has been decidedly sharp and chilly during the day, but there has been no wind and the sun has been shining uninterruptedly. In these respects, Wichita Falls is faring better than other points, as the dispatches indicate.

Texas News Service Special. Waxahachie, Feb. 18.—The coldest weather in Texas except the Panhandle, and remarkably low for Central Texas was experienced by Waxahachie today when the mercury fell to one below zero, the lowest temperature since February 12 years ago.

Texas News Service Special. Tulsa, Feb. 18.—The thermometer today registered the lowest temperature for five years, the mercury showing ten degrees below zero. Live stock is reported suffering in unsheltered places.

Texas News Service Special. Terrell, Tex., Feb. 18.—Terrell experienced the coldest night of the winter last night, the mercury falling to eight above zero at day break.

By Associated Press. Tyler, Tex., Feb. 18.—The temperature is nine above zero here this morning, the coldest in seven years.

Save money by attending the big bankrupt hardware sale Monday.

## SECOND BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED

### LOCAL LODGE OF ELKS OBSERVE SECOND ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY OF INSTALLATION.

## BANQUET IS FEATURE

### Short Speeches and Music Followed Feast in Honor of the Occasion.

The local lodge of Elks celebrated its second birthday last night with a banquet in the lodge hall and about one hundred "Bills" were on hand to make glad the occasion. The affair was along informal lines and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The banquet took the form of a Dutch lunch and the popularity of that sort of feast was attested by the complete way in which the eatables were disposed of.

It had been the plan to have the members of the Primrose Minstrel company on hand but they failed to arrive in the city and their part of the program was dispensed with. As a result, the members were forced to entertain themselves and several of them and their guests responded to toasts suggested by Toastmaster Lon Mathis. Charles Bean, E. B. Gorsline, Orville Bullington, A. N. Brittain, E. B. Carver, D. A. Jacobs, John Gould, C. B. Morse, Rhodes, Claude Woods, and Messrs. Hapgood, Henrietta, Brigham of Olney, King, McCargie, Zigler of Tyler and others. The remarks were all of a happy nature and added to the evening's entertainment. Music and singing followed the feast, an entertaining feature being several excellent solos by Mr. Dunlap, a local baritone of ability.

The local lodge, No. 1105 is two years old this week and as was emphasized last night, is a most vigorous youngster. From a charter membership of about forty, it has grown to have two hundred members and is still growing. Since its last birthday the lodge has been installed in the handsome club rooms in West Texas and it has prospered in other ways. Last night's celebration was commemorative of the substantial growth the lodge has enjoyed since it was first installed, just two years ago.

### Eleven Corpses Recovered From Cherry Mine Today.

Cherry, Ill., Feb. 18.—Eleven bodies of miners were recovered from the St. Paul mine today. The bodies were found almost perfectly mummified.

## BURLESON FIGHTS FOR HIS ANTI-FUTURE BILL

Texas News Service Special. Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Representative Burleson of Texas, today resumed his arguments in favor of the anti-future bill before the house agricultural committee.

Burleson charged that the cotton exchanges only purposed to hedge and that the exchanges do not deal in spot cotton, but conduct a business of dealing in contracts only. Burleson strongly denied that the exchanges protect the spinners. Representatives of grain exchanges will be heard this afternoon, as the bill would knock out both cotton and grain exchanges.

### SOCIALIST DISTURBANCE.

German Police Use Sabers and Pistols on Cheering Crowds.

Frankfort-on-Main, Feb. 18.—Severe street fighting occurred late last night between the police and the socialist demonstrators and a large number were wounded on both sides. The socialists had organized five mass meetings which passed off in good order, but crowds at a late hour gathered on the principal streets singing and cheering for a secret ballot. A conflict with the police immediately ensued. The police used their sabers and revolvers, charging several times. The demonstrators replied with volleys of stones. Fighting continued until midnight in various quarters of the city.

### ADOPT 154-GAME LIST.

Schedule Deadlock is Broken This Afternoon in National League.

By Associated Press. New York, Feb. 18.—The deadlock which has been in force about the 1910 schedule was broken this afternoon when the 154-games schedule was adopted. This schedule, as outlined, is subject to a few minor changes.

## SEVERE EARTHQUAKE ON ISLE OF CRETE TODAY

By Associated Press. Crete, Feb. 18.—A violent earthquake was experienced here early today and the village of Varpetrie is in ruins.

The shock was accompanied by subterranean explosions. A number of buildings in the city are damaged, the walls being cracked. The Minaret crashed through the dome of the Mosque and houses collapsed.



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## Wonderful Progress of West Texas; Wichita County Leads the Procession

The Times has just noticed the 16th biennial report of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, showing the progress of Texas along educational lines. We have not yet had opportunity for careful inspection of its more important details, but have noticed that portion treating of the increase in scholastic population. By the scholastic census for 1907, Texas had 869,864 children of scholastic age. In 1908 the number was 893,441. In 1909 the number had increased to 949,006 or a little over 9 per cent in two years. A comparison is made on page 21 of the report of six counties in West Texas (Childress, Coleman, Haskell, Randall, Taylor and Wichita) with six counties of Southwest, East and Central and South Texas respectively, and the West Texas counties lead all four other sections both as to percentage of children enrolled and per cent of children actually attending the public schools; the enrollment being 95 per cent and the attendance 62 per cent, while Central Texas (whose representatives were the six great counties of Collin, Fannin, Grayson, Hill, Kaufman and Wise) which stand next, show only 82 per cent enrolled and 43 per cent attending. East Texas stood third, South Texas 4th, while Southwest Texas is at the foot of the list, probably on account of the Mexican population in that section. In all respects West Texas shows greatest progress while many counties show an absolute decrease. The East Texas counties of Anderson, Angelina and Bowie and Camp; the South Texas counties of Austin and Bastrop and our neighbors, Cook, Denton, Montague and Wise, and many others of the older counties have declined, but west of the cross timbers nearly all show progress. Clay has increased from 2713 to 4073; Archer from 631 to 1398; Wichita from 1432 to 3191; Wilbarger from 1907 to 3007; Henderson from 1835 to 3419.

We show below the census of all counties in the 29th Senatorial District for 1907, 1908 and 1909 and the amount of increase for each county in the two years. Every one of the 49 counties shows an increase, except Moore county, which shows a decrease of 8.

Wichita county shows a greater increase than any other one county. The eight counties which show an increase in the two years of over 1000 each are as follows: Wichita 1759; Childress 1461; Young 1404; Clay 1360; Hall 1255; Hardeman 1134; Wilbarger 1100; Baylor 1060.

As will be seen besides these, the counties of Archer, Knox, Foard, Hale, Cottle, Collingsworth, Wheeler and

Potter all show increase of over 500 for each county. Of the increase in two years for all Texas 79,142 the census of the 29th Senatorial District made 23,544 or nearly 30 per cent of the whole.

	1907	1908	1909	1907	Increase over
Jack	2784	3017	3147	263	863
Young	2049	2620	3453	1404	1404
Throckmorton	608	794	1072	464	464
Clay	2713	3221	4073	1360	1360
Archer	631	857	1398	667	667
Wichita	1432	1840	3191	1759	1759
Wilbarger	1907	2312	3007	1100	1100
Baylor	1050	1569	2140	1060	1060
Knox	1519	2097	2410	897	897
Foard	630	761	1321	691	691
Hardeman	1285	1639	2419	1134	1134
King	107	124	170	63	63
Dickens	377	409	543	166	166
Bailey			49	49	49
Lamb	18	21	100	82	82
Hale	673	814	1659	986	986
Floyd	802	815	1244	442	442
Motley	422	454	602	180	180
Cottle	364	588	1113	749	749
Lubbock	327	380	616	289	289
Hockley	16	16	19	3	3
Cochran			12	12	12
Crosby	253	266	480	227	227
Childress	976	1471	2437	1461	1461
Hall	943	1243	2199	1256	1256
Briscoe	396	418	541	145	145
Swisher	463	508	933	470	470
Castro	235	249	432	197	197
Parmer	18	171	371	353	353
Deaf Smith	554	533	837	283	283
Randall	493	546	708	215	215
Armstrong	377	419	570	193	193
Donley	964	1150	1389	375	375
Collingsworth	876	1141	1815	939	939
Wheeler	677	825	1458	781	781
Gray	410	593	894	484	484
Carson	312	274	350	138	138
Potter	959	1144	1628	669	669
Oldham	66	85	135	79	79
Hartley	80	204	307	227	227
Moore	152	161	144	*8	*8
Hidalgo	181	169	204	23	23
Roberts	182	191	233	51	51
Hemphill	296	403	549	273	273
Lipscomb	285	339	578	193	193
Ochiltree	210	262	381	171	171
Hansford	184	178	213	28	28
Sherman	250	305	335	75	75
Dalham	387	446	713	326	326

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**\*Decrease**  
Wichita is the smallest of the 49 counties but shows the greatest increase and now stands third in population, having surpassed all of her sister counties except her next neighbor Clay and the next county of Young, while Archer county lacks only two of having made as much progress as Potter which includes the city of Amarillo, although Potter has increased 70 per cent.

**Deeds Filed for Record.**  
John C. Man and others to H. B. Hatton, lot 1 and half of lot 2, block 221; \$3250.  
Geo. W. Jalonic and others to O. P. Maricle, lots 19 and 20, block 13, I. Jalonic addition; \$550.  
Floral Heights Realty Co. to Nettie I. Tibbetts, lots 5 and 6, block 55, Floral Heights; \$600.  
Noble and Henderson to Nettie I. Tibbetts, lot 5 of the N & H. Bellevue resurvey; \$700.

Now is the time to buy dishes, glassware, chinaware, pictures and other little household articles while you can get them at cost, at NICKEL STORE. —238-31

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## FEDERAL CONTROL OF CORPORATIONS

SECRETARY CHAS. NAGEL SAYS IT IS NECESSARY TO NATION'S PRESERVATION.

### HE SPEAKS AT CHICAGO

In Address Before Industrial Club of That City He Explains Measure Now Pending.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Feb. 15.—Federal control of corporations is necessary to the commercial preservation of the country, declared Charles Nagel, Secretary of Commerce and Labor, of the United States in an address before the Industrial Club here last night.

As to the power of the National Government to authorize the organization of federal corporations, Mr. Nagel said there could be no question. The existing system of clashing state laws "a system on all sides at war with itself," he regarded as intolerable, and he assured his hearers that the consequence of a federal corporation law such as President Taft proposed could make for nothing but the general good.

The purpose of the government to regulate the corporations, in the opinion of the Secretary could not be considered as an attempt to encroach upon state authority, but as a determination to "employ old authority for the solution of new problems." A change of attitude regarding the relation of national to state authority, he believed had come over the country with the development of problems too big for the state individually to meet.

"Among the more important problems," said Secretary Nagel, appears to be the question whether or not the National Government may and should authorize and regulate the organization and conduct of federal corporations. Only a few years ago the bare suggestion of such an idea filled the public with dismay. The authority was denied and the policy was questioned. Today the irreconcilable conflicts to which ordinary business organization are subjected in our states have forced a general recognition that something must be done to relieve the situation.

"The idea is not limited to any particular locality of our country or to any special class. From all parts, east and west, north and south, city and country, come the suggestions that some relief upon these lines must be worked out. The proposition has now been squarely put before the country. The president of the United States has made a distinct recommendation in a message, calling attention to the needs, and submitting for consideration a form to which legislators and constituents may give their attention."

In considering the proposition, Secretary Nagel stated that three points must be determined; first, the question of the government's authority; second, the conditions which make advisable such legislation, and third, the consequence of such legislation.

"It has seemed to me from the very start," said the secretary on the question of authority, "that no one could subject this question to a thoughtful consideration without arriving at the conclusion that the federal congress must undoubtedly have the authority."

"From the earliest case in which the exclusive rights of congress to regulate interstate commerce was considered, it was made apparent that the authority to provide for the organization of business corporations was a necessary incident to the exercise of that authority, and again and again the supreme court has said that congress has this power."

The charge against the states that they had neglected their opportunities in dealing with the corporations, Secretary Nagel said he did not believe, but he attributed the failure of the states to cope with the commercial conditions to inability rather than to negligence.

"The plain and indisputable fact is," he said, "that the commerce of these organizations with which we are really concerned has outgrown both the boundaries and the authority of any particular state. In other words, the individual states is vainly struggling to control conditions that extend beyond it with respect to territory, as well as power and the modern demand for congressional action is nothing but the plain, practical call for an authority that is equal to the occasion with which it has to deal. Realizing that we have a national commerce, we are naturally calling upon national authority to control it, and to protect it."

Secretary Nagel, recited the development of business enterprises in the country, showing the gradual growth to the big corporation and the attempts of the states to legislate and the resultant trouble because of the varying laws, and he pointed particularly to one result of conditions as they existed.

"Not only is commerce subjected to inconsistent, conflicting and often destructive regulation," he said, "but the inevitable effect of such activity is to create false competition between the states at the expense of that commerce. The states of lowest standards forces the hand of all the rest. Attempts at progressive legislation are paralyzed just as one unfair competitor always lowers standards everywhere. Nor will the efforts of the several states to promote unity of legislation meet this difficulty. These efforts are most praiseworthy with respect to all subjects which

rest within the exclusive control of the several states; as to national subjects they are worse than useless.

"All co-operation in matters political means government, and why resort to mere understanding without binding force among the states, when we have a common government to deal with in a common cause? Why not have our federal government legislate where our governors can only confer and recommend?"

The need and purpose of federal control of corporations, the secretary stated he believed to be "simply to place a private business company in its commercial activity precisely where the constitution undertook to put the citizens of the United States. The purpose is to organize companies that may engage in interstate commerce under regulations fixed by the national government and free from the unnatural and uneconomical embarrassments which so far any state has been at liberty to interpose."

Another phase of the question discussed by the secretary was the international commerce of the country. Up to the present time, he said, the country had rested in the belief that development of domestic commerce was sufficient. Other countries felt the need of international commercial developments long ago and the United States, he urged, must do all that was necessary to meet what its competitors were doing in that line.

"We are now engaged in establishing relations with foreign countries," continued the speaker, "looking for the opportunities of our commerce in their midst. We are shaping our treaties to secure open doors and equal rights with other countries. In what form shall this commercial enterprise make its appearance in other countries if not in the form of the accepted corporate organization?"

"Does it stand to reason that we can successfully depend upon a corporation large enough to engage in foreign commerce, and at the same time too large to be admitted by most of the states composing our union? Will it be seriously contended that we will be blind enough to engage in foreign business under federal protection, and at the same time permit individual states of the union to cut the pins from under this same commercial organization at home? We cannot hope to succeed with such an inconsistent and ruinous a system."

"Apart from all the embarrassments which antagonistic and conflicting state legislation has so far created it appears to me that contemplation of the future of our foreign commerce in itself settles the need for an intelligent, bold and comprehensive scheme for the organization of commercial enterprise under the same authority under whose charge that enterprise is to go forward."

The secretary agreed that confusion no doubt would result in the states with the adoption of a federal corporation law and that serious questions would arise with respect to the subject of taxation, but he urged that it should at all times be remembered that the creation of a federal corporation was within the control of the people of the United States. No hard and fast rules, he said, existed as to the manner in which taxes to be paid by such an organization shall be apportioned, but he anticipated no insurmountable difficulty to be presented in this matter with respect to the individual corporation, and he saw no reason why the federal corporation law should not provide for the assessment of tangible property, and for the taxation of shares in such manner, "that exact justice and protection will be afforded individual states and localities."

As to apprehension that a federal corporation statute would permit large concerns to escape some of the law's inhibitions provided against them, the secretary had no fear.

"If the mere amount of capital," he said, "is in itself to be recognized as an objection, then there is no reason why the federal law should not fix such limit as may be found reasonable and safe. But it is believed that the real objection to large corporations in our country goes to the monopolistic character of the concerns. In that respect a federal corporation law would prove, in my judgment, infinitely more effective than have the spasmodic, inharmonious attempts of individual states."

"I believe, to summarize, that there is no question whatever about the authority of the federal congress to provide for the organization of commercial corporations which may be equipped to intelligently develop domestic commerce, and to protect our interests in foreign countries. I have no question that the existing system, which on all sides is at war with itself, has become intolerable, and that nothing but the untold wealth of our country can account for our ability to hold our own as long as we have these conditions."

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**WEATHER FORECAST.**

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Up to this writing, two new wholesale groceries, a new planing mill and several others new concerns have asked Wichita Falls "to be their valentine" and the young lady will accommodate them all.—Wichita Times.

Wichita Falls is the luckiest town in Texas because Kemp and Kell live there. Any town can be made to grow when two such men are in the harness. The trouble is that most of the towns have men of wealth who do not care a whit for their home town and won't turn their money loose in quantities which will do the things which their towns need, although by turning to loose it would increase their own wealth, as well as benefit the town and the people. The only really valuable citizen is the one who is willing to put his money into enterprises which will boost the prosperity of his town.—Gainesville Register.

A Texan has been appointed general manager of the Western Union. You notice that ordinary jobs are all right for ordinary men but whenever somebody is wanted to handle something big, they call on a Texan. Lovett and Brooks are examples.

With the snow rapidly melting and the sun shining brightly all day long, Wichita Falls could afford to sympathize with poor freezing Galveston and other south Texas cities yesterday.

If it isn't too late yet, hurry down to the city hall and register your vote with the big majority. Then when the streets are paved you can point to them with pride and say "I done it."

**WICHITA FALLS IS NOT ENVIOUS.**

The Record believes a railroad penetrating the country to our south to be indispensable to the future welfare of Vernon. At present it is unoccupied territory, but no one knows how long it will so remain. There is not a man owning a foot of real estate in the city who cannot afford to pay liberally of his means in order to have this portion of the country traversed by iron bands. Whether it be a project backed by home or foreign capital, the Record proposes to contribute to the bonus fund without argument. Give us one or two more roads and Wichita Falls and Amarillo will take a back seat. Vernon has a location and resources to make it a great, important city and this is exactly what will happen, if we can accomplish what has been undertaken.—Vernon Record.

The same condition exists in Childress and the index, like the Record, is anxious to contribute to the bonus fund. But there's one thing that we can't agree with you, Brother Ray, and that is that Vernon is situated so she will be the city of the Panhandle. We believe Childress holds the key to the situation.—Childress Index.

Wichita Falls is not jealous nor envious of any other town, but she is not going to take a "back seat" for any of them. She already has six railroads and will add at least one more to that number before the year 1910 passes away. There is a possibility that she may add two more railroads this year. She has the natural advantages; natural gas, cheap coal and the largest body of water for both domestic and manufacturing purposes of any city in the state of Texas, and with these advantages to offer to the man with capital seeking investment, Wichita Falls' future is assured. Within the next four years she will double her present population of at least 10,000. Of course, Wichita Falls hopes all other towns may grow and prosper in a like manner. She don't want any of them to take a "back seat."

Everybody except the insurance companies, is howling about the new fire rates being fixed by the state. You can't even get insurance on longer than forty days' time, no matter if the agent is willing to credit you. But through all the trouble and turmoil the insurance companies are serene. One can almost imagine from the way they act that the new law was framed for their benefit.—Bonham News.

A law that would suit them better would have been had to frame up, and if the insurance companies do not reward those who are most responsible for this law, they will prove themselves ingrates. It is rumored, however, that they have already prepared a nice berth for one state official, who has resigned his office.

It takes a touch of just such weather as Wichita Falls has just experienced this week to make her appreciate the soothing balminess of the ozone she enjoys most of the time.

Francis Heney may run for governor of California. Getting rid of the smoking habit is a cinch as compared with the running for office habit, and Heney is about all in any way.

Without any extensive apparatus and with probably very little knowledge of the science of applied meteorology, our friend, the ground hog seems to have it about right.

The President is said to be displeased with the way Congress is acting at present. There are about eighty-five million people who, for once, agree with him.

O. B. Colquitt will open his campaign for governor in Wichita Falls. The state candidates are beginning to court the favors of the Panhandle.—Childress Index.

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A great idea in modern politics seems to be, not to vote for somebody, but to vote against somebody.—Hays County Times.

Even Dr. Rankin is not big enough to hide the Old Adam he totes around in his bosom where, he once, wore a heart.—El Paso Times.

The candidate line is rapidly filling up, and pretty soon we will have a full company ready to march through the country on a mission of peace, distributing smiles and handshakes.—Palestine Herald.

Cone Johnson says no one brought him out as a candidate for Governor and no one has the right to withdraw him. He says he will remain in the race until the people decide at the primaries that they want another man.—Williamson County Journal.

H. Bascom Thomas is creating somewhat of a sensation in the lower part of the state with his wonderful knowledge of lobbying and poker playing. It is quite sure when Bascom gets through with the legislature members they will walk a block to avoid a place where they even sell cards.—Lockhart Courier.

Cone says he durned if he quits and Poindexter just smiles and says, "We will see about that when the July primaries come off." Halley's comet will make its debut in Texas May 19, and will remain until after the primaries are over, in order to give the candidates plenty of spot light.—Gainesville Register.

Tom Love had only cut loose from the State pay roll a few hours when a boom was started to give him first place in the state administration. Love has been tried in several positions of trust and has made good. If he should enter the race still more complications in the gubernatorial contest will arise.—Sherman Democrat.

The Fort Worth Record asks the Waxahachie Light if it will support for Governor a candidate who bolted his party's platform. Isn't the Record getting out where the ice is decidedly thin? Denison Herald. The ice must have broken and let the Record under, otherwise it would have answered the questions which the Light asked in return.—Waxahachie Light.

With Editor Gardner of the Vidette strenuously opposed to Mr. Colquitt and Dr. Rankin lukewarm in his support of the gentleman's campaign for Governor, we see little hope of our Railroad Commissioner being transferred to the executive mansion at Austin. P. S.—Our assumption that Dr. Rankin will not support Mr. C. is based upon an open letter from the former to the latter in last Sunday's papers. If we are not mistaken, corrections will be made.—Liberty Hill Index.

To the esteemed Dallas Times-Herald: Lift Texas out of the political mire, and place the great Commonwealth on a plane commensurate with its importance and civilization. Down with the hirelings and the ward heelers, and all other filth and slime slingers. Texas is too big and broad and brave to be bamboozled by a lot of tommyrot dealt by guardians of the people's rights and privileges to the contrary, etc.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

The gubernatorial race waxes warmer. Bend low—a secret. We know something of all the candidates striped to date but one—the man who gets the editorial vote.—Hall Center Live Wire. No man has ever yet gotten the entire editorial vote of this state. Even the great Dick Coke lost about three editorial votes in his race against E. J. Davis. But Coke got there at it hessame and took charge of the state government, and Mr. Dav and his police were driven into private life. But keep an eye on the candidates of today and vote for the man who will let Texas vote.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Thornberry M. E. Church, Preaching by the Pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday, February 20. Subject for morning sermon: "Our High Calling." Subject for night sermon: "Working for God." All cordially invited.  
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**BE TRUE TO YOUR OWN SEX.**

[By Beatrice Fairfax.]  
 There is one thing every woman must live up to: She must be true to her own sex.  
 If we don't stand by each other, how can we expect fair treatment from men?  
 If a man is not what other men call "square" and all other men despise him.

You do not find men repeating petty tales against each other. I'm sorry that I cannot say the same about my own sex.  
 Just at present, all thinking, intelligent women want equal franchise. They are going to have it by fighting in unison and standing shoulder to shoulder.

Whenever you meet a woman who says she does not care for her own sex, beware of her. It is no compliment to be termed a "man woman."

That means the kind of woman who always has sharp, critical remarks to make about other women.  
 The right kind of a woman is equally popular with both sexes, but when any question arises between the two she instinctively sides with her own sex.

Whenever you hear any woman criticised or slandered, stand up for her. There will be many to push her down; do your womanly part by defending her.

Stretch out a helping hand to any sister who is in deep water.  
 You can never tell how strong you would be yourself if temptation came to you.

The things that prove inevitable to another woman might not tempt you in the least; whereas she might be strong where you would fall.

Try and remember that when you find yourself inclined to pick flaws in other women.

It never hurts to be lenient in judgment, and much harm may be caused by overseverity.

By a little stretch of the imagination you can nearly always put yourself in another woman's place; you can imagine how she wants a thing or how she hates it. What would you do in her place?

Would you be any stronger or any better than she has been?  
 Do all you can to help and encourage any cause undertaken by women. If you don't approve, you can at least refrain from abusing their methods. The majority are working for the right—remember that.

You may not want equal franchise; perhaps you are the kind of woman who looks upon every sentiment expressed by the men of your family as inspired wisdom; but do not be foolish enough to criticise the earnest, intelligent women who are devoting themselves to the cause which some day will bring such benefit to you and your children.

All through history men have stood side by side and upheld each other's convictions and opinions.

Now is woman's chance to prove that she is of the same fighting caliber as her brothers.  
 When anyone asks you if you believe in equal franchise, say "Yes, of course; I believe in anything which is going to be of lasting and material benefit to my sex."

In all circumstances, great and small, my sisters, let us stand by each other; let us be true women and true friends, ready with sympathy and encouragement, slow of harsh judgment and quick of forgiveness.

Aden, Arabia, Feb. 18.—The "mad mullah" is again on the war path and has already done a great deal of damage in the Mijerlin province.

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**THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH**

**Cotton—Liverpool Spots.**  
 Liverpool, Feb. 18.—Spot cotton 8.10. Sales, 10,000 bales. Receipts, none.

**Cotton—Liverpool Futures.**  
 The market for future cotton opened firm and closed barely steady.

	Open	High	Close
Feb-Apr	7.82	7.82	7.77
May-June	7.76	7.76	7.72
June-July	7.70	7.70 1/2	7.66 1/2

**Cotton—New York Spots.**  
 New York, Feb. 18.—The market for spot cotton opened quite, with price unchanged. Middling, 14.80. Sales, 100 bales.

**Cotton—New York Futures.**  
 The market for future cotton opened quiet and closed easy.

	Open	High	Close
Feb	14.57	14.57	14.40-a 41
May	14.68	14.68	14.51-a 52
July	14.56	14.56	14.36-a 37

**Cotton—New Orleans Spots.**  
 New Orleans, Feb. 18.—The market for spot cotton opened steady, with price unchanged. Middling, 14 15-16. Sales, 1210 bales. To arrive, 200 bales.

**Cotton—New Orleans Futures.**  
 The market for future cotton opened quiet and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
Feb	14.55	14.72	14.45-a 49
May	14.86	14.89	14.66-a 67
July	14.94	15.00	14.76-a 77

**Chicago Grain Market.**

Wheat—	Open	High	Close
May	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/2
July	104 1/2	104 1/2	104
Sept	99 1/2	100 1/2	99 1/2

Corn—	Open	High	Close
May	67 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2
July	68 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2

Oats—	Open	High	Close
May	47 1/2	48	47 1/2
July	44 1/2	44 1/2	44

**Fort Worth Cattle.**  
 Texas News-Service Special.  
 Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 18.—Cattle, 1,200; hogs, 1,500. Steers steady, tops \$5.00; hogs steady, tops \$4.00; calves steady, tops \$5.50; hogs steady, tops \$3.00.

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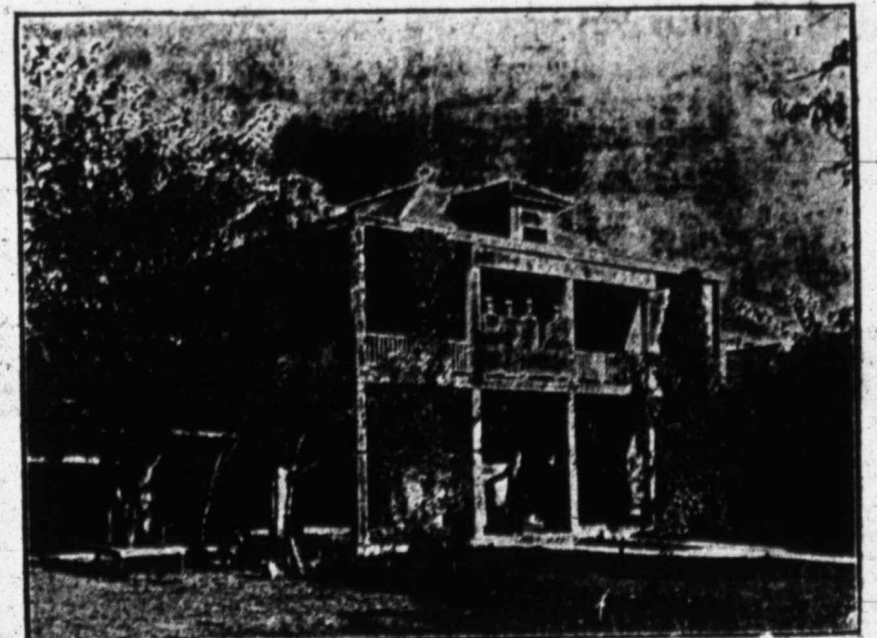
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**CURRENT COMMENTS  
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**The Sherman Law.**  
A judgment for \$220,000 has been rendered by the United States court of Connecticut against 200 hat makers of that state, all members of the Hat Makers' Union, for boycotting a firm. This decision is rendered under the provisions of a combination in restraint of trade.—Springfield Leader.

**Faking Motherhood.**  
The Los Angeles woman who claimed to have been blessed with quadruplets, following two sets of triplets, and a pair of twins, has confessed that she has had but one baby, and that it died in infancy. The rest of the brood represented orphans in asylums. Motherly love seldom devotes itself to working up such a fake as this.—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Whistling Idiot.**  
Whistling has been called an evidence of cheerfulness. But most normal persons will pronounce the cheerful whistler an unmitigated nuisance. It is not to be assumed that the cheerful whistler is a willing worker—upon the contrary, whistling may be taken as evidence presumptive of a vacant mind. The art of whistling is difficult. The artistic whistler is an expert and commands money at the ticket office. The ordinary whistler drives unwilling hearers to distraction. He is an irritant.—Washington Herald.

**The Republican Party in the South.**  
John Temple Graves is sizing up the political situation and he is interesting, even if he is inaccurate. He has looked far into the future and he has found that, during the next decade, the democratic party will secure better footing and greater growth in the north and west and the republican party will be given a decided impetus in the south. This is not a prophecy. It is an empty statement. The south is not going out after the republican party. It is coming back to the party of Jefferson.—Augusta Chronicle.

**Prohibition Put Off.**  
By a vote of 22 to 18—practically 23 to 19, since two senators holding opposing views on the subject were paired—the state senate last night rejected the bill proposing state-wide prohibition for South Carolina. That disposes of the issue for the present session of the general assembly, and continues the conditions now prevailing, whereby those counties which have dispensaries in operation may maintain them, and those which are without any form of liquor traffic may institute the dispensary system should their people so elect.—Charleston News and Courier.

**A Friend of Cannon's.**  
John Harrison publishes the Commercial News in Danville. He stopped off in Washington day before yesterday on his way to Europe. He de-

clares that Joe Cannon is the most popular man in Danville. Everybody loves him. His home is one of the most hospitable establishments in the city. He is rich, but no one asks him where he got his money. They saw him make it by hard work and wise investments, and all the charges one can bring against him will only make him stronger in the Eighteenth district, unless they charge Joe with dishonesty, and that no one believes. That district is proud of having a man of national force in the house of representatives. And then, there is nobody to run against him. Any one who tried it would be crushed like a mosquito under a steam roller.—Peoria Star.

**Is Hawley a New Harriman?**  
Edwin Hawley's rise has been almost as meteoric as Harriman's was. At 50 years of age he is two years younger than Harriman was at death. Like his great forerunner, he began at the bottom round of the ladder. Coming to New York from Chatham when 17 years of age, he became a messenger boy for the Erie at \$4 per week. His advance has been steady, but not until within the past twelve months did he do anything spectacular enough to attract the country's attention. Only in a moderate degree, and incidentally, is Hawley assailing any of the existing systems. He is building up a great chain of roads of his own, with many branches and feeders. As the tendency among the railroads, as among all the great activities, is toward concentration into fewer and fewer hands, it is altogether probable that if Hawley lives and works a few years longer he will have as many miles of road under his sway as Harriman had. Although he is a modest and reticent man, the country is likely to read much about Edwin Hawley in the coming time.—Leslie's.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a market on Saturday, the 26th of this month. It will be cakes, pies, bread, dressed chicken and everything nice for Sunday dinner. The place will be given later. 239-1fc

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### AMUSEMENTS

In the full flush of its New York success Joseph M. Weber's great play "The Climax," by Edward Looka, musical theme by Joseph Carl Brell, will be the attraction at the Wichita Theatre, Tuesday, February 22.

"The Climax" is said to be one of the really great plays of the period and a piece that has received the united endorsement of the New York critic. This refreshing news note in dramatic literature was the reigning success of Broadway for 10 months for it is said to contain all the elements of a really great play and is recognized as one of the best products of American dramatic genius. It is declared that the play appeals to the most complex emotions, it is a delightful comedy taken as such alone, it is interesting as a speculative philosophy, though its treatment relieves it of being in any sense a problem play, and as a whole it forms one of the most charming dramas of the stage today.

The story tells of a young girl Adeline, who comes from the West to develop her voice as a singer. She resides in the household of her instructor, an Italian voice culturist, and is beloved by his son Pietro, a young composer of great promise. She also has another suitor in the person of John Raymond, a young physician, who is untrusting in his efforts to win the girl and turn her from the stage career, but all to no avail. Consequently, the doctor employs "mental suggestion" to destroy the girl's ability to sing. Finding herself unable to sing the girl consents to marry the doctor, but on her bridal morn she regains her voice which forces the doctor to confess that he used his will power to crush her ambition for a stage career. There is a vein of incidental music interwoven in the plot which is one of the important features of the piece. "The Climax" is in three acts and will be presented by a very capable cast including Albert Tavernier, Carmy Christie, Robert Tabor and Pauline Perry.

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If you are addicted to the use of any drug habit, I can cure you to stay cured in 10 days. No omney until you can say you are well and happy.  
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The Primrose Minstrels, booked to appear at the Wichita last night failed to reach this city on account of missing the connection at Gainesville.

The company left Ardmore on the Santa Fe and on account of the delayed trains they did not reach Gainesville until nearly one o'clock missing the M. K. & T. train for Wichita Falls. At 4:30 p. m. yesterday afternoon Manager Bean received a message from Mr. Warmington stating that on account of the Katy people being unable to furnish the equipment for a special train they would not play Wichita Falls last night but would give Manager Bean one night next week.

All parties holding tickets for this attraction will present them at Bean & Huey's office today and get their money refunded. The date of their appearance will be announced later.

#### Notice.

I wish to announce that I am not in business with any one and any one so stating misinforms you.

I make this announcement in view of the fact that many of my friends and customers have inquired of me as to my going in with some other electrical firm—anyway; I am not, and phone 622 and you have the right number.  
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S. G. Helm of Dundee was here today meeting friends.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kell left this evening for Galveston.  
 Jno. Dowlen of Byers, was transacting business here today.  
 Sheriff Craddock of Seymour was a visitor in the city today.  
 Joe Kierst of Iowa Park, was here today transacting business.  
 Marshall Barwise of Electra, was in the city today the guest of relatives.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hilton of Iowa Park were among the local visitors in the city today.  
 D. R. Montgomery, a prominent citizen of Fort Worth, is in the city the guest of postmaster O. T. Bacon.  
 E. B. Carver, live stock agent for the Wichita Falls Route, was here today from his home at Archer city.  
 H. L. McGregor, a prominent business man from Petrolia was here today en route to Electra on business.  
 T. B. Wilson a well-to-do stockman and farmer from Mankins, Texas was looking after business interests here today.  
 W. T. Taylor, a prosperous farmer who resides near Byers, was in the city today en route to Olney to visit relatives.  
 Miss Winnie Hill who has been visiting relatives at Seymour was in the city today en route to her home at Decatur.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wiseman, of Vera, Knox county, were in the city today en route to Archer city to visit relatives.  
 Frank Collier is in the Eastern clothing markets this week selecting spring and summer stock for the firm of Collier & Hendricks.  
 Rev. J. B. Boen, pastor of the Christian church at Waxahachie was in the city today on his return home from a visit with relatives at Seymour.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Young and J. H. Stipes of Mena, Ark. are expected to arrive here tonight, and we are reliably informed will again become citizens of Wichita Falls. Having lived here for a number of years, they have many friends who will welcome their return.

**GALVESTON LEADS.**

Texas Port Exports More Cotton Than Any Three Cities in America.  
 Galveston, Feb. 17.—The report of the statistics bureau of the department of commerce and labor, issued for the month of January, and showing exports of cotton for the five months ending Jan. 31 has just been issued. This report is most flattering to Galveston as a cotton shipping port, for it shows that Galveston is only a comparatively small amount short of the combined cotton exports of New York, Wilmington, Savannah and New Orleans, the four ports of the country which come next to Galveston. The official figures are as follows:  
 New York, \$13,395,948.  
 Wilmington, \$17,933,000.  
 Savannah, \$45,236,257.  
 New Orleans, \$46,149,649.  
 Total of four ports, \$122,714,954.  
 Galveston alone, \$121,714,954.  
 During the month of January, Galveston exported 219,000 bales, weighing 114,466,145 pounds, and valued at \$17,410,547.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Senator Willard Alden Smith of Michigan is reported very low today and his chances for recovery are not bright.

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**SHORT ITEMS OF INTEREST**

Alexander Schanafelt, a member of the Wichita baseball team during last season, was married recently at San Antonio to Miss Kelly of that city. Schanafelt played with the local team during last season as a pitcher and utility man and has many friends here who will be glad to learn that he has been "signed" permanently.  
 The Primrose minstrels failed to arrive yesterday, being unable to make connection with the Katy at Gainesville. They endeavored to get a special train, but could not do so and were obliged to cancel their engagement. They will probably be here one night next week.  
 Creed & Crow Bros., is the style of a new real estate firm that has opened an office in room 10, over McClurkin's store. All members of the firm are reliable and trustworthy and any business left in their care will receive prompt and proper attention.  
 Superintendent W. J. Bullock of the Christian Church Sunday School, will leave for Abilene tomorrow to present to the Christian Sunday School of that city the banner it won from the Wichita Falls school in the recent contest.  
 A great deal of snow is still to be seen today and the chilly air prevents it from melting very rapidly. The sidewalks are in a much better condition than on yesterday.  
 City Tax Collector Harry Robertson is now busy at work securing property assessments for 1916.

Moore, Jackson and Perkins is a new fire insurance and city real estate firm just formed, succeeding Perkins & Kell. The firm is composed of R. M. Moore, W. W. Jackson and D. M. Perkins. Their office is in the building one door South of the post-office.

Frenchman Charged With Using Patents of Wright Brothers.  
 New York, Feb. 17.—A writ of temporary injunction against Louis Paulhan, the French aviator, who has been making numerous flights in this country, was granted by United States Circuit court Judge Hand today an application of the Wright company of Dayton, Ohio, which manufactures and handles the inventions of the Wright Brothers. Infringement of the Wright patents were alleged in the application for injunction. In granting the restraining order, Judge Hand said that he did not consider it necessary to decide the question whether or not the Wright Brothers were the first to fly, as that was not a nissue in the case.  
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 It is the only corset that has the unqualified approval of physicians. Instead of injurious pressure, it affords support for the organs, compels a correct standing position and carriage, and imparts that poise which never fails to elicit the admiration of the beholder. The proof of the corset is in the fitting.

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No. 3. Four each California's Table Peaches, Apricots and New York Pears, \$2.00.  
 No. 4. Two each Bishops' Preserved Royal Anne Cherries, Danson Plums, Sliced Peaches, Cuthbert Raspberries, York State Mince Meat, Sov. Hawaiian Pine Apple, \$3.00.

No. 5. Two No. 2 Peerless Tomatoes, three No. 2 Dexter Corn, two No. 2 Peerless String Beans, two No. 2 Empsons Apex Peas, one No. 2 G. C. Lima Beans, one No. 2 Van Camps Kidney Beans, one No. 2 Speckled Peas and Pork, \$1.25.

No. 6. Four each Peerless Blackberries, Peerless Gooseberries and Battleship Strawberries \$1.25.  
 No. 7. Six each No. 2 Dexter Corn and Peerless Tomatoes.  
 No. 8. Six each No. 1 Alaska Salmon and No. 1 Corned Ham, \$1.25.

We can't run this ad. all the time, but will supply the above combinations at these prices until further notice. If you can't find the ad. ask us about them at any time.

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